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Bequest Column

Bequeath: "To give, or to leave by will."

—Webster's Dictionary

In this column will be used in each issue the names of those whose gifts to Wesleyan, either during their lifetime or by will have added to the financial security of the College.

Mr. R. O. Jones

(See page 12)

Loula (Evans) Jones

(See page 12)

Mary B. Merritt

(See page 7)

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(Mrs. A. L. Gilmore, Thomaston, Ga.)

THE WESLEYAN ALUMNAE

COMMENCEMENT IN 1948

The speaker for Alumnae Day, May 29 will be Kwe Yuin Kiang, '26, principal of the Laura Haygood Normal School in Soochow, China, who is now in America doing graduate study at Columbia University on a crusade scholarship.

Another Wesleyan Alumna and former missionary to China, Nettie Peacock, '02, who has known Kwe Yuin since she was a little girl, is most enthusiastic over her approaching visit to Wesleyan. "We are indeed fortunate to have Kwe Yuin as our commencement speaker," Nettie declares. "She has the kind of ability, strength of character and boundless energy that enabled her to keep her school going even when the invading Japanese drove them from Soochow to Chung King. There she set up her school again while back in Soochow the Japs occupied her beloved buildings. The enemy practically destroyed everything within and even stabled their horses in the chapel."

Nettie Peacock first knew the Kiang family when she was teaching in the primary department of the McTyeire School in Shanghai. It was in the hospitable home of Kwe Yuin's parents that she ate her first Chinese meal and was taught to manipulate chop sticks by their son, Mr. Z. T. Kiang, who has since become Bishop Kiang.

"Wesleyan may well be proud of Kwe Yuin for through her leadership at the Laura Haygood School she is making a definite contribution to her country," the returned missionary believes. She describes the educator as "petite and attractive in appearance with a pleasing personality and a fluent command of the English language."

The Laura Haygood Normal School, which bears the name of the Alumna who was the first woman missionary sent to the foreign field by the Southern Methodist Missionary Board, has graduated many fine teachers and is especially noted for its kindergarten-teacher training courses.



Kwe Yuin Kiang, 1926
... Alumnae Day Speaker

Kwe Yuin has been head of the institution since her college days ended in America. She spent two years at Wesleyan, but completed the requirements for the A. B. degree at George Peabody College in Nashville, Tenn. She holds the M.A. degree from Columbia University.

Reunion Class-Club Dinner

Members of Reunion Classes (See list on last page), National officers, and Club presidents are invited to dinner in the College dining room on Friday at 6:00 p.m.

Kwe Yuin's Wesleyan classmates are cordially invited to hear her and to be with her for the dinner on Friday evening. Rooms may be reserved by out-of-town members of her class (1926) for Friday and Saturday nights of Commencement.

The Induction Ceremony

The impressive ceremony of induction of the Senior Class into the Alumnae Association will be a part of the Alumnae Day program. Each senior has selected an alumna to light her candle as the sym-

bol of her acceptance of the privileges and responsibilities of alumnaehood. The daughter of the national alumnae president, Annie (Gantt) Anderson, and the daughter of a former president and alumnae trustee, Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore, will be among the graduates.

The Baccalaureate Speakers

Wesleyan is fortunate in having as speakers for the Sunday service at Mulberry Street Church and the graduation exercises on Monday at Pierce Chapel, two outstanding ministers, Dr. Pierce Harris of Atlanta, and Dr. Ralph W. Sockman of New York City.

All alumnae are cordially invited to attend the events of Commencement, the dinner Friday evening and the luncheon Saturday being by reservation, all other occasions open to the public.

Alumnae Committees

Belle (Ross) Valentine, president of the Macon Club, announces the following committees for Commencement:

Decorations: Octavia (Burden) Stewart; Clare (Johnson) Walker.

Memorials: Mattie (Adams) Buchanan; Mary Belle (Adams) Davis.

Induction Ceremony: Pauline (Pierce) Corn; Dorothy Thom.

Ushers: Emtelle (Mason) Clisby.

Luncheon Committees:

Tickets: Roy Domingos

Arrangements: Helen (Cater) Farmer.

Decorations: Ruth (Holt) Sheehan.

Wesleyan Invites Macon Guests



Dolls from the historical collection proved fascinating to Open House visitors and students too! The two girls shown admiring the tiny ladies in their elegant silks and satins are Joan Coart of Atlanta, treasurer of the Athletic Association, and Jean Elsom of Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Hundreds of Macon and Middle Georgia friends thronged both the College and Conservatory campuses on Sunday, April 4, in response to an invitation to open house, issued under the direction of Alleen (Poer) Hinton, '12 alumnae chairman.

Student guides conducted the guests on tours. They viewed the historic documents and relics of Wesleyan's illustrious past and inspected the equipment, materials and other properties with which this pioneer college keeps in step with contemporary demands in education and training.

On the Rivoli campus, the visitors were shown the first Wesleyan catalog, early diplomas, photographs and medals, the famous Georgia Room in the Candler Memorial Library, the Porter and Burden Rooms with their rare furniture and paintings, the splendidly equipped scientific laboratories of Taylor Hall and photographic laboratory of Tate Hall, the Campbell collection of contemporary art, Anderson dining hall, and Porter gymnasium with its beautiful swimming pool.

At the Conservatory, callers were given an opportunity to test their skill as sculptors or potters in the ceramic and sculpture department where students demonstrated the making of pottery from native

clays. In the new art building on the back of the campus, two nationally famous painters, members of the faculty, were on hand to interpret the objectives and techniques of their department. The music, radio, speech, fashion illustration and design departments were also open to visitors and a chamber music group performed in the Conservatory parlors throughout the afternoon. And in the Wesleyan Gallery the work of nearly 50 of America's best known contemporary painters was on exhibit.

Conservatory guests paused in the Alpha Delta Pi and Phi Mu sorority rooms, national shrines for the two societies which were founded at Wesleyan, and saw the grand parlor in which the portrait of Madame Chiang Kai-shek is hung.

Sponsors of the open house were the members of the Alumnae Executive Committee for Macon of which Florence (Trimble) Jones, '20, is chairman.

Philomathean Class Book

Annie E. (Williams) Pearce, '02, of Clearwater, Fla., has presented a copy of the Philomathean Classbook of 1900 to the Wesleyan Historical Collection. The

book, bound in rose-red cloth and as fresh and new-looking as if it had just been published, was one of the earliest annuals issued at Wesleyan.

The dress and manners of the period are reflected on the pages of the treasured volume. Romantic pictures of Gibson-like girls and their beaux were drawn for the annual by Helena Eastman (Ogden) Campbell, the Wesleyan artist who later inspired many other well-known artists to give their paintings to her college, thereby eventually forming the Campbell Art Collection of more than 100 works.

The first photograph in the annual is that of the Rev. J. W. Roberts, then Wesleyan's president. A picture of the Grand Parlors shows those noble rooms furnished with elaborate white wicker chairs, tall lamps and potted palms.

Louise (Frederick) Hays was editor of the classbook and other members of the staff were as follows: Business manager, Virginia Watts; literary editors, Mary Finney and Alleen Moon; advertising editors, Edna Arnold and Eva Lawson; local editor, Pearl Coleman; art editor, Lula Houser.

Other Philomatheans were: Jennie Banks Arnold, Grantville; May Bell Adams, Macon; Blanche Ainsworth, Thomasville; Roselyn Bivings, Dalton; Lucile Banks, Grantville; Lola Cook, Lumber City; Louise Cary, Cartersville; May Cook, Lumber City; Mae Daniel, Millen; Julia Davis, Augusta; Katherine Edmondson, Dalton; Maggie Finney, Haddock.

Edna Frederick, Marshallville; Katie May and Eloise Guyton, Dublin; Kate Glawson, Gray; Margaret Hall, Macon; Martha Hagood, Atlanta; Tommie Lee Hightower, Dublin; Mattie Hatcher, Columbus; Frances Harmon, Savannah; Mary Johnstone, Atlanta; Lucia Johnston, Macon.

Nellie Knight, Cartersville; Eva King, Cusseta; Helen and Eva May Land, Jackson; May Moore, Greenwood, S. C.; Mary McAndrew, Union Springs, Ala.; Mary Addie Murph, Marshallville; Margie Morris, Macon; Lillian Moon, Washington, D. C.; Annie McCalla, Heardmont; Mary Park, LaGrange; Louise Peddy, Newnan; Dollie Paris, Reynolds; Dorothy Rogers, Waleska; Josie Reid, Eatonton; Josephine Shaw, Macon; Gussey Sharp, Waycross; Louise Turner, Eatonton; Annie E. Williams, Etheridge; Lali Whiting, Waycross; Hattie Wimberley, Oglethorpe; Edna Willingham, Macon; Mary Lucy White, Eatonton, and Mary Simms Wheeler, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

William D. Anderson, chairman of the Wesleyan College Board of Trustees, became the first contributor to the Second Century Loyalty Fund on March 21 when he gave the sum of \$100,000 to the college, announcement of the magnificent gift having come from William N. Banks of Grantville, Wesleyan trustee, who is general chairman of the campaign.

Mr. Anderson, nationally known textile executive, made the gift, he said, because of his firm belief that the type of religion and education fostered at Wesleyan are the only forces that will save civilization. "These are the only influences that will prevent this nation from traveling the downward path to ruin, the path which most of the other nations of the world are now traveling," he declared.

Expressing his pleasure in being privileged to participate in the Second Century Fund campaign, the trustee chairman stated: "Experience and observation both convince me that the only portion I will really save out of my life's accumulations will be what I give to Wesleyan and other similar organizations that are building character in the lives of young people who are soon to take over the task of guiding the affairs of the world."

Chairman of Board Gives \$100,000



Mr. W. D. Anderson, trustee chairman, presents his check for \$100,000 to William N. Banks, general chairman of the Second Century Fund Campaign, in the presence of leaders of the Macon phase of the drive who are Mr. H. K. Burns, Mr. Leo B. Huckabee, Macon chairman, Florence (Trimble) Jones, '20, Mr. James H. Porter, philanthropist and trustee of the college, Dr. Mark Smith and Mr. Charles L. Bowden.

The benefactor's affectionate interest and devotion have been reflected over a long period in both service and gifts to Wesleyan. A member of the Board of

Trustees since 1921 and for many years chairman of the important Buildings and Finance Committee, he became Chairman of the Board in 1942. Mr. Anderson said that "giving to Wesleyan long ago became a habit" and added: "I have never done as much for this grand old college as I ought to do and I am, therefore, glad to have a part in the present campaign for this historic institution."

Mr. Anderson's gift will be credited toward the \$500,000 goal set for Macon in the drive to raise two million dollars for the college endowment. The Macon phase of the campaign opened officially on Sunday, April 5. On that date Wesleyan officials, faculty members and friends spoke at various Methodist Churches in the community, outlining briefly the purpose back of the current drive.

Among those speaking were Bishop Arthur J. Moore, former Wesleyan president, Dr. Samuel L. Akers, dean of Wesleyan College, Eunice Thomson, Alumnae Director; Dr. G. W. Gignilliat, Jr., head of the English department; Carl Bennett, also of the English department; Dr. Florence J. Sherriff, head of history and government department; Miss Josephine Weaver, speech teacher at the Conservatory; Emmett Johnson, professor of religion; Miss Iva Gibson, dean of women; and Warren Roberts, prominent Macon attorney.

Extra

ADDITIONAL \$100,000 GIFT!

As the magazine goes to press, announcement is made of the gift of \$100,000 which the directors of the Bibb Manufacturing Company unanimously voted to contribute to the Second Century Fund in honor of James H. Porter, vice-president, and William D. Anderson, chairman of the Board of Directors.

Nominee For Alumnae Trustee

by Estelle (Stevens) Mason, 1906

The executive committee of the Wesleyan Alumnae Association presents the name of Alice Cobb (Burden) Domingos, A.B. '08, as the nominee for Alumnae Trustee to succeed Dorothy (Blount) Lamar, A.B. 1883, whose three-year term expires this fall.

As granddaughter of the late Dr. W. C. Bass, teacher and president of Wesleyan College; daughter of an Alumna, Minnie (Bass) Burden, A.B. '76; mother of three Wesleyan graduates, two of whom are now officially connected with Wesleyan Conservatory; and as an Alumna of Wesleyan who has devoted herself for years to advancing the cause of Wesleyan, no one could be better fitted for this position. The two children who are connected with the Conservatory are Le Roy, Jr., B.M. '37, Assistant Professor of theoretical music, and Alice, A.B. '40, secretary to Dean Annabel Horn. Another daughter, Ann Maria, A.B. '39, is now director of religious education for the South Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church. A second son, Richard, who attended Emory University, leaving that institution to enter the Air Corps of the United States Army, is now associated with Burden-Smith Company, a large department store in Macon, which was founded by his grandfather, Mr. Richard F. Burden. The nominee's only sister, Octavia (Burden) Stewart, '06, is a former Alumnae Trustee.

Not only has Alice been active in the affairs of Wesleyan, having served as president and treasurer of the Macon Alumnae Association of the Alpha Delta Pi Sorority, founded at Wesleyan in 1851 as the world's oldest sorority, but she has served in many other official capacities.

In the Vineville Methodist Church of which she is a member she has taught in the Church School from the kindergarten to the junior department and at present is superintendent of the children's division there. Always active in the work of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, she was its president for five years; she is treasurer of the Macon District W.S.C.S. and secretary of specials of the W.S.C.S. of the South Georgia Conference.

In addition to other activities already mentioned Alice taught for several years before her marriage to I. L. Domingos in 1915 and having since that time reared four fine children she has found time for active work in the Parent-Teacher Association of four schools from grammar through high schools in which her chil-



Alice (Burden) Domingos, A.B. 1908

dren were enrolled; and for active participation in the work of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. She has served first as president of the local Sidney Lanier chapter, UDC, then second vice-president of the Georgia division of the organization, which position she now holds. She is also interested in the Daughters of the American Revolution and holds membership in the Mary Hammond Washington chapter, being its chaplain.

One of her friends and former class and sorority mates at Wesleyan says of Alice's nomination for Alumnae Trustee: "No one is happier than I at this recognition of Alice's outstanding qualification for Alumnae Trustee. Besides her very evident fitness for such an honor through inheritance, training and experience in executive positions she especially deserves this distinction because of her Christian character, quiet unassuming dignity, unquestionable loyalty to Wesleyan and Christian Education, untiring devotion to any cause which she espouses."

Peter Pan On Tour

"Peter Pan", the Barrie fantasy which has charmed theatre-goers for decades, was artistically staged in the Conservatory Auditorium on March 12-13 by the Department of Drama and later the production went on the road for Alumnae-sponsored shows in Atlanta and Albany.

The play, conceded to be most difficult for amateur production, brought the talents of many departments together to achieve a performance in keeping with the high standards of the drama department. Taking the show on tour added to the problems because of the amount and size of properties, costumes and technical equipment used, yet both players and their props reached their two out-of-town stands punctually and safely.

Miss Ruth Jean Simonson, head of the drama department, Mr. Maynard Samsen, technical director, and Mrs. John Sharp, speech director, were in charge of the production. Beverly Reichert of Miami, Fla., and Nancy Cummings of Augusta played the title role on alternating evenings.

Following the presentation in Atlanta, the Atlanta Alumnae Club, whose president is Nonie (Acree) Qullian, '09, entertained at the Georgia Terrace Hotel for the players and crew members. In Albany, Alumnae gave a reception for the cast and sent refreshments to the crew members who were striking the set to take back to Wesleyan. Mary Brown

(Malone) Rogers, '45, is president of the Albany Alumnae.

Robert P. Tristram Coffin At Wesleyan

Wesleyan students had the pleasure of hearing Robert P. Tristram Coffin, eminent poet, read his poems on April 19 during the chapel hour and again in the classes of Dr. G. W. Gignilliat, head of the English department.

Mr. Coffin, whose collection of poems, "Strange Holiness," won the Pulitzer prize in 1936, told his audience that a poet should always write "something new about the old or something old about the new." Poetry, he affirms, is the art of making one feel well about life. Among the poems which he read at Wesleyan were "Lantern in the Snow," "Boy Meets Dog," "The Weathervane," and "Crystal Moment," giving an account of how each work came to be written.

The poet visited the Candler Memorial Library while at Wesleyan. There he autographed his books and on the fly leaf of each volume sketched a scene or symbol of the Maine coast.

The author of 20 books, he has also written novels, critical essays, biographies and a history. Mr. Coffin is Pierce Professor of English at Bowdoin College, his alma mater, and was Rhodes Scholar to Cambridge University from Maine, his native state.

Alumna Publishes Fifth Book

Willie (Snow) Ethridge, '20, well known author and one of Wesleyan's most devoted Alumnae, has achieved marked success with the publication in February of her fifth book, "It's Greek to Me," a work which received favorable and lengthy notices in the important newspapers and magazines throughout the country.

Published by the Vanguard Press, Willie's latest book is an account of her trip to Greece when her husband, Mark Ethridge, distinguished editor and publisher, was the American representative on the United Nations Commission of Investigation Concerning Greek Frontier Incidents. And although Willie has written her story in her usual informal and highly entertaining style, "It's Greek to Me" has an undertone of stark tragedy with its picture of Europe in chaos, hunger and continuing oppression. Traveling by jeep over rough roads, Willie apparently went everywhere and saw everything during her seven months in Greece.

Critics have praised the Wesleyan Alumna's chronicle and called it a pleasing contrast to the top-heavy, pompous commentaries which have flooded the book market since the end of the war. Writing in the Christian Science Monitor, John H. Hoagland said: "Many of the areas of the world today, where there has been all too much postwar futility of thinking, could use a visit from Mrs. Ethridge. She seems to be brushing away the tears from tired faces, bringing back laughter where not even a smile has been, re-introducing the 'little people' to hopes they had all but abandoned, tying their country to ours with the bright strands of a simple, unaffected friendliness—nothing more." And in the New York Times, Mary McGrory declared: "An unblushingly unauthoritative book about Greece is probably the last thing that anybody expected at this point. But here it is . . . an informative if incomplete picture of life in a troubled region and infinitely more entertaining than many a more pontifical tome.

Willie has a demon's eye for characters and a genius for making friends, according to Ernestine Evans in the New York Herald Tribune Book Review section, who states: "She has the columnists beat a mile, and half the reporters, for making you acquainted with dozens of folks in their off-the-record moods and for their colorful backdrop of the Greek Way of Life."



Willie (Snow) Ethridge, A.B. 1920

Dollie (Blount) Lamar reviewing "It's Greek to Me" in the Macon Telegraph stated that the book should be listed in the State Department as "diplomatic paper No. One." "Whether hob-nobbing with kings or weeping in sympathy with desolate peasantry, Mrs. Ethridge's bright self cintillates through these pages."

Willie visited Wesleyan on March 17 and spoke to a large group of students in the downstairs reading room of the Candler Memorial Library. Choosing The Informal Essay as her subject, Willie talked with the same charm and spontaneity which has endeared her to fellow students, other Alumnae and faculty members since her own undergraduate days at Wesleyan.

The Alumna gave her audience delightful highlights of her trip to Greece, recalled classes at Wesleyan under Prof. J. W. W. Daniel and Miss Virginia Garner, and told how she found material for her own writing. "Life is full of wonderful things . . . if you take time out to look,"

he believes. She mentioned the last page of "It's Greek to Me" in which she makes a comparison of her feelings on leaving Geneva with her emotions on leaving Wesleyan. "I jumped from Geneva to Wesleyan in one breath, but I made it," the author smilingly explained. Her audience literally rocked with laughter from the start of her talk until the last sparkling word.

Eunice Thomson, Alumnae Director, introduced Willie. She stressed her loyalty to Wesleyan, a loyalty which has found expression in her books. Willie sent her Alma Mater the first \$1,000 which came from the royalties of her earliest book, "As I Live and Breathe," and has made other generous contributions to the Loyalty Fund and provided scholarships, Eunice stated.

Willie has been widely feted since her book was released. Here in the South, Alumnae have entertained in her honor in Atlanta, Birmingham and in Chattanooga. Many Macon Alumnae attended the large luncheon which the Macon Woman's Club held for this hometown girl who keeps on making good!

Mary B. Merritt Remembers Alma Mater In Her Will

One of Wesleyan's most loyal alumnae, Mary Bass Merritt, A.B. 1893, died in October, 1945, and remembered Wesleyan in her will with a legacy of \$500.

Mary B. Merritt studied after her graduation at Wesleyan at Emerson School of Oratory in Boston, Mass., and for some years taught English and dramatics at South High School in Cleveland, Ohio.

In 1938 she retired, and returned to Macon, her old home, living on Forsyth Road with her sister, Mrs. Lillie Merritt Johnston. Each year she made a generous contribution to the Wesleyan Alumnae Loyalty Fund. The last year of her life, she telephoned the college and asked that one of the officials stop by her home to receive her gift to her Alma Mater.

The gift to her Alma Mater is made without reservations, and expresses her deep love for her college.

Watchtower Wins Honor

The Watchtower, Wesleyan College newspaper, received a first class rating for the year from the Associated Collegiate Press. Factors considered in naming the award were news values and sources, writing and editing, headlines, typography and makeup, department pages and special features.

The Watchtower scored highest in news writing and editing. Editor of the campus paper is Rhett Jenkins of Vidalia and the associate editors are Betsy Hopkins of Atlanta and Ruby Layson of Harlan, Ky., holder of the Phi Delta Phi Alumnae scholarship awarded to an outstanding student.

Alumna Sets Up Own Business

A business of one's own is a goal toward which many aspire and few achieve, yet Joyce Gallagher, '46, less than two years after her magna cum laude graduation from Wesleyan Conservatory is conducting her own career in a studio in the backyard of her parents' home near Jacksonville, Fla.

There, in a small building overlooking the St. John's River, Joyce, who majored in ceramic sculpture at Wesleyan, creates pottery figurines from the clays of Georgia, Kentucky and Ohio. Stylized and highly decorative, the figures are executed in the period of the Old South. Some are in peasant dress. Joyce markets most of her work at wholesale, but also fills individual orders, such as that of a bride in her own wedding finery.

Last summer the young artist experimented with native clays. In the fall her creations were featured at the Jacksonville Flower Festival where she demonstrated a hand potter's wheel and showed the molds, coloring oxides and glazes which she employs in her work. At Wesleyan she never staged an exhibit for the simple reason that she sold everything, as fast as it was made, to Rich's in Atlanta. Gerhardt Bosch, Wesleyan professor of sculpture and ceramics, regarded Joyce as a pupil of extraordinary talent.

Since her graduation, she has had many offers to teach classes in Ceramics, but has been too busy to consider teaching. In addition to the creation of the figurines, which are also obtainable as lamp bases, Joyce does freelance illustration work.

Writing of her studio, she says: "In summer it affords a coolness not to be



Joyce Gallagher
... with some of the figurines

found elsewhere. I have a pottery kiln of sizeable dimensions as well as an electric potter's wheel and many assorted chemicals and other materials with which to mix up glazes, coloring oxides and clays. I mix all of my clays and glazes."

Wesleyan Alumnae will be interested to learn that Joyce has volunteered to give the Loyalty Fund 20 per cent of the proceeds from sales to Wesleyan or their friends and relatives. For further information about the figurines one may write Joyce directly at San Jose Boulevard, Route 11, Jacksonville.

Winners of Competitive Scholarships

Scholarship winners in the competitive examinations at Wesleyan College and in the auditions and examinations at the Conservatory were announced in March.

More than 200 applicants from 16 states competed for the College scholarships, the first of which, valued at \$1,000, went to Wilma Dee Collins of Chattanooga, Tenn., and the second, valued at \$900, to Doranne Jennings of Powder Springs, daughter of Gladys (Butner) Jennings, '19.

The other winners of College scholarships were: Charmaine S. Nutt of Columbia, S. C., \$800; Nancy Horton of Paducah, Ky., \$700; Mary Helen Cleverly of Jacksonville, Fla., \$600; Nettie Jean Duncan of Clemson, S. C., \$500.

Wilma Dee, who earned first honors,

is the sister of Mina Collins, a freshman at Wesleyan.

At the Conservatory seven scholarships of \$300 each were awarded the following out-of-town high school students: Piano, Artemisia Dennis of Augusta and Nancy Lou Marks of Savannah; voice, Jean Mouchet of Atlanta and Joan Cole, of Carey, Ohio; art, Louise Walker of Atlanta and Joyce Walker of Short Hills, N. J.; speech, Joyce Barrett of Gulfport, Miss.

Four \$250 scholarships were awarded Macon students by the Conservatory. Jacquelyn Causey won the award in violin, Sallie Higgins in voice, Sheila Rubel in speech and June Crumbliss in art. A second honor art scholarship of \$175 was won by Betty Lou Soulbly, also of Macon.

Alumnae Scholarships For Wesleyan Girls

The Macon Alumnae Club gave scholarships to Carolyn Smith, Ann Dodd and Virginia Moore.

The Eling Soong Kung Scholarship, given by a Wesleyan classmate of Eling's, was given again to Rosaline Gilmore of Thomaston.

The Maria Weaver Burks Scholarship, given in memory of Mrs. Burks by one of her former students, went to Adrienne Thompson of Atlanta.

The Leon Perdue Smith Scholarship, in memory of Wesleyan's former dean, was awarded to Anne Whipple of Cochran.

The Phi Delta Phi Honor Society gave two scholarships of \$100 each to Ruby Layson of Harlan, Kentucky; and to Emily Hancock of Thomaston.

The Dickerson Moore Scholarship of \$250, given by Marian (Cook) Murphey in memory of her grandfather, went to Sara Ann Sherwood of Shadydale, Ga.

The Octavia Burden Stewart Scholarship went to Adrienne Thompson of Atlanta, Conservatory student.

The Laura Fraseur Knight Scholarship was given to Margaret Wise of Jackson, Tennessee.

The Ruth Benedict Watson Scholarship was awarded to Ruby Layson of Harlan, Kentucky.

The Olive DeFoor Brittain Scholarship went to Mary Chambers of Atlanta, president of the College Government Association.

The Linda Anderson Lane Scholarship was given to Emily Mallet of Jackson, Georgia.

The Atlanta Club gave three scholarships, two of \$200 and one of \$100, to Mary Chambers of Atlanta, Peggy Sheppard of Camilla, and Bo Hi Yun of Korea.

The Columbus Club gave its scholarship to Shirley Bartlett of that city.

The Pauline Logan Findlay Scholarship of \$100 each, given by Margaret McEvoy in memory of her Wesleyan friend, and endowed in her will, went to Mary Lane Edwards and Ann Dodd of Macon.

Dr. Edmund F. and Annie Cargill Cook Scholarship of \$150, given in honor of this beloved couple by Frances Strohecker and Tallulah (Strohecker) Durden went to Patricia Pope of Acworth, Ga.

Glee Club On Tour



Mr. Zorin is shown with soloists and their accompanist as he outlines plans for the Glee Club tour. Standing left to right are the singers, Mary Gene Baldwin of West Palm Beach, Fla., Allene Hall of Brunswick, Lois McGeachy of Tampa, Fla., and Evelyn McGarrity of Meldrim. Accompanist Beth Collins of Davenport is at the piano.

The Wesleyan Glee Club, now ending one of the most successful seasons in its history, made a triumphant tour of Florida and Georgia cities this spring.

The singers, a group of 70 girls selected from the Glee Club's total membership of 100, were directed by Vladimir Zorin, teacher of voice at Wesleyan and former member of the Cossack Chorus. Their program included operatic selections, Negro spirituals and church music.

Traveling in a special Pullman car, the students visited Orlando, Fort Lauderdale, Jacksonville, West Palm Beach, Daytona Beach and Miami. In Georgia they sang in Thomaston, Perry and Macon, being heard not only in concert in the Conservatory auditorium, but also at the Camellia Show and in a half hour's broadcast over radio station WBML. Everywhere the members of the Glee Club and their director were received with appreciation; both the press and individuals cited their magnificent performance.

In West Palm Beach, Dr. and Mrs. R. Henry Baldwin, parents of Mary Gene Baldwin, one of the soloists, entertained the entire company with a swimming party and breakfast at a hotel and took

them on a sight-seeing trip in buses which they had chartered for the occasion. In Miami, Dr. and Mrs. Peter Manson, parents of Margaret Ann Manson, also a member of the Glee Club, gave a reception at their home the evening before the concert there. Alumnae in Daytona Beach were hostesses at a luncheon following the morning program in that city.

When the Glee Club sang in Thomaston, home town of Rosaline Gilmore, president of the club, the local Music Club gave a party at the home of Rosaline's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur L. Gilmore. After the concert in Perry, Martha Cooper, '31, held a reception in her beautiful colonial home there.

Last year when the Wesleyan Glee Club had the privilege of singing in a joint concert with the Don Cossack Chorus in Macon, Serge Jaroff, director of that renowned chorus, declared after the performance: "Yours is the best college glee club I have ever heard, and I have heard many." Mr. Zorin was formerly bass-baritone soloist with the Russian singers.

Wesleyan Radio Series

Wesleyan's radio department, directed by Mrs. Anne Frierson, Griffin, gained national recognition on April 14 when the radio series, "Because There Is a Georgia," received second place in the annual contest sponsored by the City College of New York for superior radio programs created and broadcast during the year.

This prize-winning program which ran for 17 consecutive weeks over Macon radio station WMAZ was judged as a professional work in a class of institutional radio programs. It is interesting to note that first place went to the Sunday evening program, "The Greatest Story Ever Told," a dramatization of Bible stories produced by Rayshow, Inc., of New York, an advertising agency.

The Wesleyan Radio Workshop presented the series, "Because There Is a Georgia," in 1947. This year, another series, "This Is Georgia," was broadcast over station WMAZ.

Ralph Lawton Gives Concert

"A completely artistic success" was the tribute which a fellow artist paid Ralph Lawton, artist-in-residence at Wesleyan Conservatory, following his piano concert in the George Foster Pierce Auditorium on the evening of April 10.

Mr. Lawton, internationally known concert pianist and teacher, played the same program at Wesleyan which he will present at Wigmore Hall in London and at the Salle Pleyel in Paris during the summer. His performance which opened with Mendelssohn's Variations Serieuses included a Chopin group, the Mozart Sonata in C Major and Debussy's Prelude, Etude and L'Isle Joyeuse.

The pianist will teach again this summer in the Mozarteum Academy of Salzburg where he was head of the department of piano for a number of years before the war. The first American to be engaged as soloist in the celebrated Salzburg festival, the Wesleyan artist teacher played there under the direction of Richard Strauss. His concert appearances have carried him into the principal countries of Europe and he has been soloist with the Philharmonic Orchestras of both London and Paris.

CLUBS

MACON

The Macon Club held a rally on April 1 and heard Bishop Arthur J. Moore, former president of Wesleyan College, speak on the urgency of the Second Century Fund Campaign which had just opened.

Bishop Moore in a brief and eloquent message asked Alumnae to take a new vow to their Alma Mater "to help her impart to young women of today and tomorrow those intangible but imperishable values which were the ideals of our forefathers."

He reminded them that it is from such institutions as Wesleyan that civilization receives its stability and power.

Dr. Silas Johnson, also present at the meeting, expressed appreciation for the work of Alumnae in the current campaign. Mary Chambers, president of the College Government Association and holder of the Atlanta Alumnae Club Scholarship, outlined the benefits which she and other students have received from Alumnae.

Eunice Thomson, Alumnae Director, introduced Bishop Moore, whom she had known since the days when he was a visiting evangelist and a delightful guest in the home of her parents.

Florence (Trimble) Jones, '20, is Macon area chairman for the Second Century Fund.

THOMASVILLE

The Thomasville Wesleyan Alumnae opened the Second Century Fund Campaign with a Coca-Cola party at the home of Mary (Murphy) Dillon. '34, on April 14.

Following a program in which the facts of the drive were presented, the members took the names of absent Alumnae and agreed to call upon them. Plans were made to have all the pledge cards returned within two weeks, "hoping to add our share to Wesleyan's future."

MACON JUNIORS

The Macon Junior Wesleyan Alumnae Club met in the Conservatory Gallery on Wednesday evening, March 10, and heard Gerhardt Bosch, Wesleyan professor of ceramics and sculpture, lecture on the current exhibit of Bronze Sculpture from the Museum of Modern Art in New York. Mr. Bosch was introduced by Maurine (Meilenz) Pendleton, '46 vice-president, who presided in the absence of the president, Louise Pate, '46.

Mrs. Jane Garrison, director of the Alumnae in the Second Century Fund Campaign, spoke to the group about the drive. The hostesses, Adeline (Lane) Boisse, '46, and Martha Bradford, '47, served refreshments. Other officers present were Dorothea Jarrett, '45, secretary, and Jane (Spearman) Struby, '46, treasurer.

Atlanta Club

The Atlanta Club, with Nonie (Acree) Quillian as president, carried off with great success the sponsorship of "Peter Pan" in Atlanta for three performances, and gave a reception for the cast afterward. (See write-up on page 7.) Jacqueline (Howard) Edwards was chairman of the benefit.

Birmingham Club

The Birmingham Club under the leadership of Le Vert (Shepherd) Eubanks entertained with a dinner for Willie (Snow) Ethridge when she was in Birmingham.

In May LeVert had all of the campaign workers at her home for luncheon.

Albany Club

Albany alumnae met for the first time in years at Radium Springs in April, with Eunice Thomson as guest speaker.

There were 30 enthusiastic alumnae present despite a steady downpour, and the club elected officers and began plans at once to sponsor "Peter Pan" in Albany.

Under Mary Brown (Malone) Rogers, as president, and Betty Jane Wilson as vice-president, the club sponsored the performance on April 7. (See page 7.)

A moving spirit in the club is Mary Jane (Boatright) McKenney, whose daughter, Mary Anne, is a Wesleyan freshman this year.

Washington, Georgia

Wesleyan Alumnae who live in Washington were entertained on March 25 by Lucy (Evans) Stephens, '98, at her home on Liberty Street. The meeting, besides being a social affair, was called to discuss the Second Century Fund Campaign. A letter was read from Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore, '19, general chairman of Alumnae in the campaign, in which she spoke of one of the goals being "a gift from every Alumna."

During a social hour around the tea table, Alumnae talked over their college days at Wesleyan. Those invited were: Nannaline (Jordon) Barnett, '81, Lorena (Whelchel) Barksdale, '12, Camilla (Pharr) Barnett, '12, Mary Willis (Bounds) Armstrong, '15, Laura (Lyle) Sutton, '17, Mary Helen (Corry) Clarke, '39, Elizabeth Green, '03, Lucile (Farmer) Roberts, '28, Esther (Lowe) Rogers, '02, Louise (Pharr) Sparks, '20, Carol Bounds, '50 and Rosemary Bounds, a member of the senior class at Wesleyan.

Floye (Simpson) Holloman, '33, and Ethelyn Lindsey, '44, also Alumnae of Washington, were out of town at the time of the meeting.

Joseph Maerz To Make Recordings Of Chopin

Music lovers everywhere and Wesleyan alumnae especially will be happy to learn that Joseph Maerz, director of music of Wesleyan Conservatory, is soon to make an album of Chopin records for sale under the sponsorship of the Wesleyan Alumnae Association.

It began as a spontaneous demand from his admirers and former pupils following an informal recital which he gave in the Rivoli parlors last fall, when he once more charmed his audience with his interpretation of Chopin.

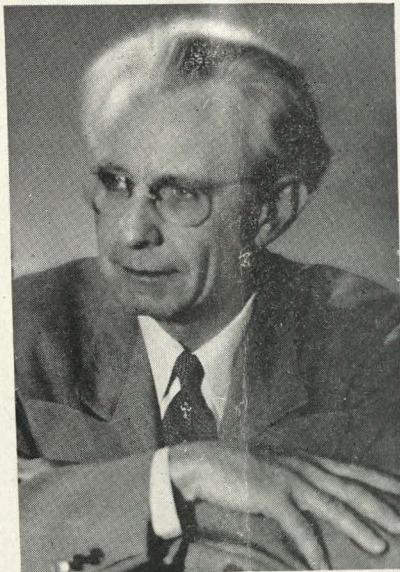
"Why don't we," they asked almost in one voice, "do the music lovers a favor by having the Maestro make some piano recordings?"

Now the venture is on its way. Professor Maerz has consulted the best firms who make recordings, has priced everything and tried pianos, and declared himself willing to do his part (which will involve quite some practicing for he is a perfectionist of the first water, and some traveling, for the firm selected is some distance away) and the Alumnae Association will do its part (which will involve putting up quite a bit of money for the initial cost, handling the sale of records and the bookkeeping).

The result will be a most attractive album of four twelve-inch records of Joseph Maerz playing Chopin, to sell for \$10.00. The records will be made of the new plastic material which is unbreakable; the album will carry an attractive picture of Professor Maerz, and a brief biography of the musician and program notes on the selections he plays.

Mr. Maerz will give his part of the undertaking to the Alumnae out of love and appreciation for his 34 happy years on the Wesleyan faculty. The Alumnae Association will give all of the money which comes in above the cost of the records to the Second Century Fund.

Alumnae and friends who buy the albums will have what is known as a "collectors' item," for only a few hundred of the records will be made. A "first edition" of 200 albums will be autographed



Joseph Maerz

by Professor Maerz for those who send in their orders early.

We expect to have the albums complete and ready for delivery in the early fall. We are asking that you fill in and return the blank below, with your check for \$10.00, as soon as possible. Acknowledgment will be made of your check, and the finished album will be sent to you, express collect, as soon as it is ready.

Brief Biographical Sketch of Joseph Maerz

The Wesleyan catalog for 1913-14 announced the addition to the faculty of "a most brilliant young artist, Mr. Joseph Maerz, who for the past six years has been a piano specialist in Syracuse University." He was spoken of as "a thorough and excellent teacher, and a concertist of such eminence that he has played in every large city on the continent in companionship with the first musicians of America. For three months daily he delighted the Jamestown Exposition with his piano concerts."

With him came his wife, Glenn Priest Maerz, herself an accomplished violinist and for 18 years head of the violin department of Wesleyan. Through the years these two gave generously of themselves to the musical life of Macon, and made a name for the college among musicians everywhere. Professor Maerz is well-known, not only as a performer and composer and teacher, but as a music critic.

Wesleyan and Macon were fortunate that the Maerzes, who might have conquered wider worlds, were content with the quiet beauty of the South, and remained permanently here. Their two sons, Lucian and Paul, were born in Macon. In 1945 Mrs. Maerz, after an illness of four years, died at their Briarcliff Road home.

Lucian and his father make their home together near Wesleyan and Mr. Maerz teaches on both Wesleyan campuses.

All who have ever heard Joseph Maerz play place him in the front rank of pianists. Wesleyan alumnae who knew him will treasure the album of his recordings with a special meaning, but all who love music will want to own one.

Return with \$10.00 to

The Alumnae Office,

Wesleyan College, Macon, Georgia

Please reserve for me a "first edition" of the album of Chopin piano recordings by Joseph Maerz.

Signed: _____

Address: _____

Lucile Blanch Has Exhibit

Twelve paintings, the work of Lucile Blanch, well-known artist and teacher of painting and drawing at Wesleyan Conservatory, were exhibited at the Wesleyan Gallery during March.

Half of the collection had been painted since Miss Blanch joined the Wesleyan faculty last fall. One of the pictures, *Cornelia*, had been on display at the Pennsylvania Academy earlier in the year.

The artist's paintings are included in the permanent collections of the Metropolitan and Whitney Museums. She has executed post office murals in five Southern states.

Miss Blanch studied at the Minneapolis Institute of Art and the Art Students' League in New York and in 1933 traveled in France, Germany and Italy on a Guggenheim Fellowship.

Alpha Delta Pi Scholarship

Applications for the Alpha Delta Pi Scholarship to Wesleyan College should be sent to Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Stanislaus Circle, Macon, Ga., before July 15.

The scholarship of \$250 is granted annually by the Grand Council of Alpha Delta Pi to some student who is "daughter, granddaughter, great-granddaughter or some relation to a member of the society" The award must in every instance be confirmed by the Grand Council.

Holder of this scholarship for 1947-48 was Roslyn Atkinson, niece of Margaret (Atkinson) Clark, '18, author of the *Alma Mater*.

IN MEMORIAM

Irene (Stevens) Stapler, 1893.
Julia (Napier) Adams, 1894.
Mary Binford, 1894.
Mildred (Stroud) Fuqua, 1904.
Leah (McKenzie) Easterlin, 1909.
Minnie (McMichael) Reese, 1909.
Ida Helen (Matthews) Nichols, 1911.
Eunice (Burgay) Palmer, 1920.
Vida (Barnett) Early, 1932.

Husband And Wife Give To Wesleyan



Loula (Evans) Jones

A bequest of one thousand dollars has been left to Wesleyan College by the late Loula (Evans) Jones, '93, of Newnan who died on January 7.

Loula Evans loved Wesleyan all of her

life. As a child she heard much of the college from her grandfather, Dr. James E. Evans, prominent Methodist minister and chairman of the Wesleyan Board of Trustees, and from her aunt, Mary (Evans) Glass, one of the founders of the Adelphean Society.

During her happy years at Wesleyan she, too, was a member of the Adelphean Society and an outstanding student. After graduation she taught in the Macon Public Schools until her marriage in 1896 to Mr. R. O. Jones, prominent Newnan attorney, who later became a Wesleyan Trustee. They had met while he was a student at Mercer University.

Mr. Jones shared his wife's interest and enthusiasm for her college and often visited the campus with her. She served as president of the Wesleyan Alumnae Club of Newnan and the doors of her stately home were always open to Wesleyan friends.

Since his wife's death, Mr. Jones has given to Wesleyan a fund for an endowed scholarship.

WEDDINGS

De Beaugrine—Shivers

Ann De Beaugrine, 1950, engagement to Guy Hartwell Shivers, Jr., of Norwood, announced in March.

Bowen—Owens

Adelaide Bowen, Conservatory, 1946, engagement to William Bruckner Owens of Decatur and Augusta, announced in April.

Bradford—Swan

Martha Bradford, A.B., 1947, engagement to Albert Jernighan Swann, Jr., of Macon, announced in March.

Brooks—Mobley

Eleanor Brooks, 1947, engagement to Robert H. Mobley, Jr., of Rock Hill, S. C., announced in March.

Cofer—Smith

Mary Frances Cofer, 1947, to James Thomas Smith of East Point, engagement announced in January.

Dismuke—Neighbors

Lucile Dismuke, A.B., 1945, engagement to Dan LeNoir Neighbors, of Macon, announced in April.

Gillis—Williamson

Latha Gillis, 1941, to Billy Williamson of Macon, March 21.

Hargraves—Michie

Jessie (Barnes) Hargraves, A.B., 1918, engagement to William Esson Michie of Ocala, Fla., announced in March.

Heath—Sullins

Eva Adams Heath, A.B., 1947, engagement to Hubert Walker Sullins of Atlanta announced in April.

Lundy—Sterchi

Celia Elisabeth Lundy, A.B., 1947, engagement to the Rev. Gordon Andrew Sterchi of Knoxville, Tenn., and Atlanta, announced in February.

McCullough—Murphey

Valeria Rankin McCullough, B.F.A., 1948, engagement to Flewellyn Plant Murphey of Macon announced in March.

McKellar—Baird

Addie Rie McKellar, 1939, to William Eugene Baird of Macon, April 14.

Mitchell—Denny

Jean Mitchell, A.B., 1945, to Leroy Denny of Atlanta, March 20.

Mooneyham—Jacobs

Lu Ann Mooneyham, Conservatory, 1949, engagement to Charles Stewart Jacobs, Conservatory, 1950, of Buffalo, N. Y., announced in March.

Partridge—Barnes

Bettye (Withers) Partridge, 1942, engagement to Benjamin Shields Barnes of Atlanta, April 2, announced in March.

Ragan—Morrison

Anne Jackson Ragan, 1948, engagement to William Lee Morrison, Jr., of Atlanta, announced in March.

Rushton—Dollar

Frances Rushton, A.B., 1945, to Carson Lee Dollar of Winnsboro, S. C., in March.

Scarratt—McDaniel

Frances Scarratt, 1948, engagement to Earl Wadsworth McDaniel of Macon, announced in March.

Settle—O'Tuel

Frances Bernard Settle, 1945, engagement to Alton Louis O'Tuel of Savannah and Raleigh, N. C., announced in February.

Shelnutt—Wylly

Ida Shelnutt, 1920, to Thomas Cook Wylly of Tennille on April 3.

Smith—Griffin

Betty Anne Smith, A.B., 1946, to Lt. (j.g.) Bob Griffin, USN, of Conway, S. C., and the Naval Hospital in Dublin, February 21.

Smith—Price

Gloria Smith, Secretarial, 1945, engagement to James Dewey Price Jr. of Atlanta, announced in January.

Talkington—Johnson

Betty Jeanne Talkington, Conservatory, 1949, engagement to Douglas Marion Johnson of Macon announced in April.

Trice—Hollomon

Ophelia Trice, A.B., 1946, engagement to Harry Lamar Hollomon of Macon announced in April.

Wallace—Ponder

Adelaide Douglas Wallace, A.B., 1946, to William Graham Ponder of Madison, in April.

Walters—Erickson

Charlotte Walters, Conservatory, 1946, to Thomas F. Erickson, April 17.

Wilson—Russell

Jane Floyd Wilson, A.B., 1947, to Ben Scott Russell of Macon, engagement announced in February.

Wilson—Turner

Rose Marie Wilson, A.B., 1948, to Thomas Jenkins Turner of Laurinburg, N. C., engagement announced in February.

From A "Would-Be Alumna"

"Because Wesleyan is the school I wish I might call my Alma Mater—and never will" is the sentiment which recently prompted Marguerite Steedman, author and newspaper woman, to send a check to the Loyalty Fund.

In the letter accompanying her contribution Miss Steedman wrote that her newspaper job had brought her very close to the college which she would have chosen as her own. She found that in preparing any series of Georgia or Southern "Firsts" the name of Wesleyan College stood high on the list. "I began to see," she writes, "what a wonderful contribution Wesleyan had made to the world of learning and how she had widened the mental horizon of every woman in the world. Because Wesleyan believed that women had brains every institution which today admits women to its classes owes this oldest college a real debt."

The newspaperwoman on her first visit to Wesleyan glimpsed what it must be like to go through such a school, to come

back to it, love it, foster it, help it grow. "As I climbed those old stairs at the Conservatory and walked through doors made wide for hoop skirts, I was conscious of generations of lovely ghosts around me. 'And this,' I thought, 'is what so many girls have had. I wonder if they understand what they have really possessed. I wonder if they are conscious of the debt they owe—or of the obligations that a college education lays upon them?'"

Confessing that she often plays a game as she passes Wesleyan, Miss Steedman explains: "For just one split second (no more, for writers must be sane persons, must be realists) I pretend that I went there back in 1926. No matter whether it was on the old campus or at Rivoli—it's the spirit of the place that I love no less than its structural beauty."

Miss Steedman has an earlier tie with Wesleyan. She studied Latin in the Girls' High School in Atlanta under Miss Annabel Horn, now the Director of Wesleyan Conservatory.

CLASS NOTES

1878

Two little great-grandsons of the late Fannie (Gilmer) Dessau were christened at the Vineville Methodist Church in Macon on March 14. Little William Dessau Ashmore is the son of Stevens (Dessau) Ashmore, '42, and the grandson of Frances (Stevens) Dessau, '08; three-months-old Robert Charles Wheeler is the son of Capt. and Mrs. C. A. Wheeler of Shreveport, La., and grandson of Geraldine (Dessau) Wheeler, 1900.

Annie (Tucker) Muse, one of Wesleyan's oldest and most loyal alumnae, is living now with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Muse, at 1205 Munro Avenue, Columbus, Ga. She was among the group of her class who were at Wesleyan in 1928 for their fiftieth anniversary reunion.

1880

Harriott (Freeman) Griswold is the oldest living member of Phi Mu Sorority and was until recent months an active member of the Miami Alumnae chapter. It is regretted that in the February number of The Wesleyan Alumnae Mrs. Griswold was referred to as the oldest living member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority.

1883

Dollie (Blount) Lamar recently presented a pipe organ to the First Presby-

terian Church of Macon in memory of her late husband, Walter D. Lamar.

On March 12, the Lamars were honored when gratitude for their gift of the Macon Little Theater building prompted the Theatre's Board of Directors to place a bronze plaque, a "token of esteem and affection," on its walls. The tablet was unveiled at a ceremony held between acts on the opening night of the production "Blithe Spirit."

1884

Friends of the late Annie (McKay) Gamble will learn with regret of the death of her grandson, William A. Gamble III, on March 27, from injuries received in a motorcycle accident. Billy, as he was known to those nearest him, was an honor student at Davidson College and he and a group of college mates were en route to Orlando, Fla., for an Easter vacation houseparty when the accident occurred. He was the son of Annie's oldest child, the Rev. William A. Gamble II, minister of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, N. C., and a nephew of Mary Gamble, '27.

1888

Emmie (Crittenden) Wooten celebrated her 78th birthday on February 22 in Dawson at the home of her daughter. She is still living in the home which she and her

late husband, built in Shellman back of which is a century old rail fence which came from her father's home. Emmie has planted a pine tree on the lawn of her home every birthday for several years.

1890

"Macon Resident Remembers 'Good Old Days'" was the headline of an article in the Macon Telegraph which told of an interview with Mary Elizabeth (Davis) Pritchett in which she contrasted life in Macon 70 years ago with present day living. Mary Elizabeth is still living in the big old home on Second Street which her father bought when she was but eight years old and which is shaded by magnolia trees said to have been planted just after the War Between the States. At Wesleyan she studied music under a German teacher, Prof. B. Czurda.

1893

The death of Irene (Stevens) Stapler occurred on January 1, the sad message having come from her son, W. Stevens Stapler of Atlantic Beach, Fla.

1894

Wesleyan friends were saddened to learn of the death of Julia (Napier) Adams in January, her death having occurred in Philadelphia where she had lived since her marriage to Mr. E. W. Adams in 1905. Funeral services were held in that city, but burial took place in the cemetery in LaFayette, the town in which she grew up. Julia was active in church, civic and social affairs and is greatly missed by all who knew her. Sympathy is extended to her husband; to her sisters, Alice Napier, '88, of Milledgeville and Mrs. S. B. Ledbetter of Decatur; her brother, Dr. A. Y. Napier of Clayton, Alabama.

The class of 1894 will be grieved to learn of the sudden death of Mary Binford of Birmingham, Ala., following a heart attack in March. She was for many years librarian of the Phillips High School in that city, until her retirement about two years ago. She was at one time treasurer of the Wesleyan Alumnae Club of Birmingham, and was a loyal alumna of the college. As a college girl she was a member of the Philomathean Society, later Phi Mu. She is survived by one brother, who lives in Philadelphia, and a number of cousins, among them the Englishes and Ethridges of Macon.

Carrie (May) Davis wrote last September from her home in Pawtucket, Rhode Island, telling of her new granddaughter born to her second daughter, Caroline Davis. Carrie spoke of her great sorrow in the loss of her classmate and dear friend, Eupice Whitehead, whose death occurred last summer. The letter was

months reaching the Alumnae office and bore the postmarks of Hong Kong and many other interesting places, having been sent to Macan, Iran, through mistake.

1896

Rosalie (Tarver) Howard of Charlotte, N. C., paid a brief visit to the Wesleyan campus last month.

1903

Bessie (Houser) Nunn was presented an Honorary Life Patronship by the eight districts of the South Georgia Conference at the South Georgia Woman's Society of Christian Service conference in Albany, the honor having been bestowed in recognition of official leadership and service. Presentation was made by Ocatvia (Burden) Stewart, '06.

1904

Members of the Class of 1904 were grieved to learn of the death of Mildred (Stroud) Fuqua of Winder last year.

1909

The class of 1909 will be grieved at the news of the death of Minnie (McMichael) Reese in St. Petersburg, Fla., on March 12. She is survived by her husband, E. Brown Reese, and a daughter, Joanne, who will graduate from the St. Petersburg High School in June. Minnie was a member of Alpha Delta Sorority at Wesleyan and taught Spanish and mathematics in St. Petersburg Junior High School.

1911

The classmates of Ida Helen (Matthews) Nichols will be saddened to learn of her death which occurred in Wilmington, N. C., on February 21. This information came from her husband, Pomeroy Nichols, treasurer of the Atlantic Coast Line System. Ida was buried in Oak Hill cemetery in Quitman, her old home, where she often visited during the 18 years in which she lived in Wilmington. The daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Sam Matthews, she was a member of one of the most prominent families of Quitman. Ida was an accomplished musician and a woman of unusual grace and charm. In addition to her husband she is survived by two sons, Samuel Matthews Nichols, a graduate of Emory University, now living in Boston, Mass., and Dr. Pomeroy Nichols, Jr., who graduated from the University of Maryland after completing his pre-medical study at Emory, and is now an Army surgeon, stationed in Tokyo.

Forrest (Pitts) Blackwell gave a talk on Oriental and European porcelains at the meeting of the Antiquarian Society in Birmingham on March 11. Forrest, who has made an intensive study of the his-

tory of porcelain and of furniture, speaks entertainingly and with authority on either subject.

1912

Erin (Holder) Smith of Tennille keeps up her music and helps with the organ at church. Her home is the center of hospitality in Tennille and her husband a leading citizen and lay leader, the brother of two Wesleyan alumnae. Their son, W. B., Jr., is in business with his father in the textile industry. Their son, Charles, works in the bank in Tennille, and their son, Tom, is studying at Tech. All of the sons were overseas in service during the war. Erin is the sister of Kathleen (Holder) Griffin, '14, and of Frances (Holder) Aderholt, '23. The new white steepled church in Tennille was built by the Griffin Construction Company, and is one of the prettiest small churches in the state.

1914

Thelma Williams works in the Department of Justice in the office of assistant to the attorney-general in Washington, D. C. She is a law graduate and recently completed a radio broadcasting course at the American University there. Thelma would like to operate a radio station of her own in Middle Georgia.

1915

Sympathy is extended Evelyn (Cranford) Baker in the death of her only son, Lt. Marcus Steven Baker, who was killed on April 11 when the P-51 fighter plane which he was piloting crashed at Shaw Field, S. C. The 24-year-old lieutenant, a veteran of 14 combat missions, held the European service ribbon with three battle stars, the Air Medal with an Oak Leaf Cluster, American Defense, American Theater and Victory Medals. Evelyn suffered many months of anxiety during the war when he was a prisoner of the Germans and she could get no word from him.

1916

Ruth White donned cap and gown on March 5 and represented Wesleyan at the inaugural ceremonies in honor of President Miller at the University of Florida.

1917

Sympathy is extended to Mary (Lane) Mallet, in the death of her mother, Mrs. Hattie McKibben Lane in Jackson on April 16. Mrs. Lane and her husband, the late Major Andrew W. Lane, prominent Macon attorney, moved from Jackson to Macon in 1893 where they were long identified with social, cultural and civic activities. Mrs. Lane went back to Jackson to live three years ago, making her home with Mary. She was a Southern gentlewoman whose life was character-

ized by a sweetness and thoughtfulness of others. A talented poet she wrote verses which brought pleasure not only to the members of the Macon Writers Club in which she was a life member, but to her large circle of friends and relatives. She was an honorary member of the Macon History Club and the Morning Music Club. Survivors include her children, McKibben Lane, husband of Linda (Anderson) Lane, '19, and Andrew W. Lane, husband of Adeline (Small) Lane, '18, of Macon; Louis J. and Harry M. Lane of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. L. S. Moore of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. George Beattie of Gainesville, and Mary. Among her grandchildren are Jane Anne (Mallet) Settle, '47, Adeline (Lane) Boisse, '46, and Emily Mallet, member of the Junior Class.

1918

M. Dorothy Dodd, head resident of the Wesleyan Community Center in Kansas City, Mo., wrote of the enthusiastic meeting of three Wesleyans there: Mariah (Brumby) Sessions, 1898, Susie Key (Smith) Jones, 1905, and herself. They talked with joyous enthusiasm about Wesleyan, had a brief devotional meeting and prayer that Wesleyan may fulfill her spiritual destiny, and began work on the Second Century Fund campaign.

Louise (King) Horton has established the pleasant custom of entertaining the members of a Macon sewing club at a houseparty at her home in Atlanta every Leap Year. The group, most of whom are Alumnae, went up for the occasion on March 8.

Capt. Mary Will Wakeford, WAC, is now in Germany where she is directing and supervising the German Youth activities in an area which comprises three communities, Gripsheim, Goldstein and Schwanheim. "That may sound simple enough," Mary Will writes, "but a short time on the job has convinced me that it is a tremendous project. The normal activities will probably run on their own momentum, but unless I can master the art of 'scrounging,' my program will be doomed from the start and so I am appealing to the only source of help I have—my own family and my friends. Don't throw away anything! Please send me things which you no longer need or use, trusting me to distribute them where there is a desperate lack of bare necessities. Shoes are particularly scarce though any item of clothing regardless of form, size or description will be welcomed with gratitude. Snaps, hooks and eyes, needles and thread, scissors, old sweaters, old yarn, socks, stockings—but there is no use to enumerate for I assure you that

anything, no matter how worn or how trivial can be utilized. Remnants or scraps of material are most acceptable. One of the kindergarten children came into the office the other day wearing a skirt made from an old Army blanket, the boys wear trousers and jackets made from similar sources. Since no attempt is made to disguise the material, the effect is extremely crude to say the least. Our supply of blankets is almost exhausted and there are no more to be had.

"You will realize of course that my pride is completely humbled and I am somewhat embarrassed to turn beggar . . . then too I can't expect you to realize the urgency of the situation unless you could see it for yourself, but I can give you my word that any response you make will be completely justified. Frankly I don't know what effect this experience will have on me, but I do know that I can never again think lightly of basic necessities. Here tragedy and desolation are daily sights. Not a cheerful picture this that I have given you, but an actual outlook of the task which I am facing."

Mary Will's address is: Capt. Mary Will Wakeford, L-402047, 7834th Ordnance Depot Detachment, APO 757 Care P.M., New York, N. Y.

1922

Amy (Quillian) Nixon's husband, Dr. Raymond B. Nixon, head of the division of journalism at Emory University, has been granted a year's leave of absence and will go to the University of Illinois in June as visiting teacher of Journalism. Dr. Nixon will be the first prominent communications researcher to teach and study at the new institute of communications at Illinois.

1923

Mary Jane (McGinnis) Carter's son, now studying at Georgia Tech, is to be married in June.

1924

Mildred (McCrory) Mitchell and her husband were hosts at a reception honoring Ray Lev, celebrated concert pianist, on the evening of March 17 following the artist's appearance in Wesleyan Conservatory Auditorium under the sponsorship of the Morning Music Club. The affair was held at the home of Mr. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Mitchell, Sr., on College Street. A photograph of Mildred's attractive blonde daughter, Marianna, taken at a high school fraternity dance appeared in the Macon Telegraph this spring.

1925

Helen (McNatt) Bradley's six-year-old Jane is already planning to come to Wesleyan in the future.

1927

Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook, the wife of Georgia's Attorney-General Eugene Cook, was the subject of an interesting article which appeared in the Atlanta Journal recently. She and her husband met when she was studying at Wesleyan and he was a Mercer student. They have two sons, Eugene, Jr., a law student at the University of Georgia, and Charles, who is only two years old. Their home is in Atlanta at 1 Collyer Road.

Gladys (Lewis) McElveen's 15-year-old daughter, Carolyn, a student and member of the chorus at Brown High School in Atlanta, was among the pupils chosen to compete in the State Music Contest in Milledgeville last month. Carolyn saw Gladys' friend and college mate, Laree (Farr) Blanks, '25, while she was in Milledgeville.

The former Elizabeth (Murray) Redwine is now Mrs. William D. North. She and her husband are living at Fort Benning.

Mary Evans (Rankin) Ferguson was elected president of the Macon Community Concert Association last February.

Carma (Pilcher) Scarborough has been for eight months in Germany with her husband, who is stationed with the American forces in Frankfurt. She writes: "Alie Jeff (Doster) White, whose husband is a General, is here in Frankfurt, and Lois (Holder) Hagan live in Munich and we have visited back and forth quite a bit. I have just received Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore's letter asking me and Myrtle (Lloyd) Rutherford in St. Andrew, Florida, to get together for a little chat about Wesleyan. We surely would if I were there. However, I enclose my check for the Second Century Fund."

1928

Clara (Kinney) Stribling was named "Woman of the Year" at St. Simon's Island where she is now living, the title having been conferred upon her in March by the Alpha Chi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Clara's list of activities cover a wide range and include church, civic and social affairs, Girl Scout troop sponsorship and service on the St. Simon's library board. Her charm and graciousness have earned her a host of friends who find it hard to believe that one so young-looking is the mother of three children, two of whom, W. L. ("Tee") Stribling III and Mary Virginia, are students at the University of Georgia. Her younger son, Guerry Boone, attends Glynn Academy in Brunswick.

Elizabeth (Carter) Overby's little daughter, Suzanne, is in the third grade this year.

Ruth (Kasey) Yost writes from her home, Hilltop, Hopkinsville, Kentucky: "I have a new Wesleyanne—Frances Lavinia—born January 2 in Louisville. This makes my third daughter for Wesleyan so you see I'm vitally interested in the Second Century campaign! Last May I was with a former Wesleyan teacher, Mrs. Paul Marshall, for a few days in Richmond, Virginia, and we had such a good time talking about Wesleyan, my favorite subject. It was most disappointing for me to miss seeing my classmate, Induk Pahk, both at Wesleyan and also at Princeton, Kentucky, last spring. Everyone who heard her in Princeton, was most enthusiastic."

Induk Pahk visited Wesleyan in March and spoke during the chapel hour at Wesleyan Conservatory. She was the guest of Bo Hi Yun, Korean student at the Conservatory, whose enrollment at Wesleyan was brought about largely by Induk's efforts and interest.

1929

Jean (Bell) Greaves is living in Mobile now, where her husband is connected with a law firm. He received his degree from the University of Alabama Law School in January.

Nancy Stewart was awarded first place in the short story contest of the Macon Writers' Club, the announcement having been made at the club's annual breakfast on March 27.

1930

Winifred (Stiles) Bell of Mobile, Ala., has a niece, Peggy Stiles of LaFayette, who is coming to Wesleyan in the fall. Winifred's little daughter, Winifred, is very musical. She has blue eyes and yellow pigtails, and is already looking forward to coming to Wesleyan.

1931

Sympathy is extended to Paula (Belcher) Murray and Edith (Belcher) Kelly, '28, in the death of their mother, Mrs. Samuel Abrahms Belcher in Macon on Feb. 14, and to Elizabeth (Anderson) Belcher, whose husband, S. A. Belcher, Jr., is their brother. Mrs. Belcher and her husband, the Reverend Belcher were Methodist missionaries to Brazil for 30 years.

1932

Margaret (Carter) Hearn lives at 389 Inman St. S.W., Atlanta. She teaches art and handicrafts in two Atlanta elementary schools, J. Allen Couch School and Home Park School.

Frances (Zachry) Mizell is with the American Red Cross in Dade County, Florida, headquarters in Miami.

Grace (Teasley) Sandlin wrote in March: "I was glad to hear from Maria Schmidt, and am sending a package to

her through CARE. I hope that my little Martha Lewis Sandlin will be entering Wesleyan about 1966. She is only four months old now, but already thoroughly indoctrinated."

Classmates of Vida (Barnett) Early will be saddened to learn of her death on April 10. Vida was the eldest daughter of a former Wesleyan trustee, the Rev. E. Ira Barnett, and Mrs. Barnett, a niece of Loulie Barnett, '08, and is also survived by her husband, the Rev. Robert E. Early, and their two adopted children.

A memorial service was held at the College Heights Methodist Church in Lakeland, Fla., on April 15, when beautiful tribute was paid to Vida. The following sentences are from the eulogy presented at the service: "Vida spent her early girlhood in various Methodist parsonages in Florida, graduating as valedictorian of her class at Miami High school. Though handicapped with a frail body, she was determined to continue her studies and entered Wesleyan College the following September . . . she loved life in all its aspects, nature, in all its beauty, art and music. She loved her home. Denied the blessing of her own children, she adopted two, and was a devoted mother and wife. She delighted in service for her Christ. In no sense of the word is she dead today. Rather she has entered into that fuller life which awaits all those who give their first love and loyalty to Christ."

1933

Bess (Duncan) Crittenden teaches the Fourth Grade at Mamie Brosnan School in Albany. Her little daughter, Betsy, is five years old. Bess was initiated into the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, national honor society for women, in January along with Wesleyannes Katherine Harman, '25, Winifred Brooks, '13, Minnie Pate, '04, and Amelia Phillips, '36.

Elsie (Lowden) Maxwell has a son, Bertram Maxwell III, born on March 8. Her charming little daughters are Susan, aged nine, and Ann, seven. Their beautiful home, Pine Vista, in the Ingleside section of Macon, is set in spacious grounds and at the back they have built a swimming pool.

1934

Penelope (Wall) Thomas, her husband and their daughters, Penny and Barbara, have recently moved to Dublin where they have bought a home at 406 Sunny Lane.

1935

Jamie (Tyson) Dodd's little son is six years old. Jamie writes that Muriel (Smith) Farmer of the class of '39 has a third daughter.

Frances (Seward) Hickey lives in Richmond Hill, N. Y., at 120-25 Hillside Ave.

She has a little daughter, Frances Theresa, born February 18 at Mary Immaculate Hospital in Jamaica, N. Y.

1936

Billie Ann (Carter) Burleigh's husband is a doctor in Marietta. They have three fine boys, Dan, 5, Eric, 4, and Andy, ten months.

1937

When Margaret (Odom) Rader's daughter, Crockett, celebrated her eighth birthday on April 12, the guests at her party were almost as happy over her birthday present as she was—a colonial doll house built in the backyard of their beautiful home. Margaret has three attractive children, the other two being Richardson, aged 5, and two-year-old Hugh.

1938

Frances (Dorsey) Harper is now living in St. Petersburg, Fla., where she is secretary and office manager of McCormick and Tanner, Inc. Her address is 1718 Sixteenth Avenue.

Louise (Wilson) Henderson has recently moved from Americus to Albany where her husband has his own business, the Henderson Office Equipment Company. Their little daughter, Patricia Louise Henderson, will be three years old in June.

Emmie (Leonard) Martin won four blue ribbons and the sweepstakes prize in the Columbus Camellia Show. Her little son, Glenn Alexander, will be three in September.

Alberta Trulock is head of the United Press Bureau in Knoxville, Tenn.

1939

Ora (Hollis) Cheney has a three-year-old daughter. The Cheneys live in Fitzgerald where they have just bought a home.

1941

Jeanette (Harris) Morgan lives in New Orleans at present where her husband is doing graduate work at Tulane University and will begin a residency at the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat Hospital there in July. They are living in a veterans' housing unit provided for Tulane students, which gives their young son, Jimmy, a chance to play with many other children! She writes: "Here is information which I have gathered from writing to a number of my classmates and also from hearing things 'by the grapevine':"

Eloise (Ainsworth) Gray lives in Hattiesburg, Miss., where her husband practices law. Weezie (Turner) Butts' second daughter, Chris, was born three months ago. Yvonne (Crumly) Brown is living in Gadsden, Ala., where her husband is a dentist—they have a small son and daughter.

Millie (Wagon) Davis' husband is studying law at the University of Alabama and she is teaching dancing in Marion where they live. They have a son and daughter. Kitty (Pate) Goode lives in Hawkinsville where her husband is manager of the Chevrolet-Oldsmobile agency. They have a little daughter, Martha. Kitty stays quite busy keeping house, doing supply teaching, attending to church work and serving as secretary-treasurer of the Legion Auxiliary.

Pauline Harrell lives in Orlando, Fla. Dot (Steiger) Fischer is living in Germantown, Pa., where her husband has a residency at Temple University Hospital. They have two children, David, who is 19 months old, and Ann, who is two months old."

Roslyn (Lewis) Langley's home is in Evarts, Ky., but she spends much of her time in Miami, Fla., with her father who has not been well lately. Ina (Dudley) Hume's second son, John Hume, Jr., was born last November.

Frankie (Jones) Duskin has two children, a boy and a girl. Sarah Hay (Phillips) Inman lives in Albany and has two daughters.

Winnett (Turner) Holt is living in New York, where her husband, Frank, a colonel in the regular Army, is taking a law course at Columbia University.

Randall (Adams) Huckabee and her attractive young children, Leo III, and Randall, were photographed with her husband's mother, Mrs. Leo Huckabee, Sr., in the picturesque Huckabee garden, the picture appearing in the Easter Sunday Macon Telegraph. Little Randall is the charming young miss who broke ground for the new chapel last January, chosen to represent the future. Her grandfather, a Wesleyan trustee, is Macon chairman of the Second Century Fund Campaign.

Sarah (Candler) Gilliland has a little son, born January 22. Sarah and her husband, an Atlanta lawyer, live at 158 Lamont Drive in Decatur.

Hazel (Holmes) Burns is president of the Macon Junior League in which she has been active for more than three years. Her little daughter, Catherine, is three years old.

Lillian (Mann) Jauquet represented Wesleyan College at the ceremonies inaugurating a new president of Lady of the Lake College in San Antonio, Texas. Lillian writes: "Are there any Wesleyan alumnae in San Antonio now? Since Elizabeth (Martin) Jennings and Miriam (Rudesal) Smith have returned to Georgia I am very lonesome for familiar faces."

Sarah Louise (Turner) Butler has a daughter, Christopher Clarence, born last February.

Barbara Wright is living in Palm Beach, Fla., after spending a year or more in Spokane, Wash. She has been taking a course in metal work while working in a Worth Avenue shop in Palm Beach. Betsy Cook teaches the seventh grade in her home town of West Point and Ida Long Rogers is teaching at the Norfolk, Va., division of William and Mary College.

1943

Congratulations to Mamie (Griffin) Denson on the birth of a little daughter, Terry, on March 31, at the Macon Hospital.

Mary (Hall) Hearin writes from Philadelphia, where her husband, who is a doctor, is studying at the University of Pennsylvania on a fellowship in the department of dermatology. "We have a fine, husky son who was born on December 30. We 'Hall girls' now have six children—I can hardly wait to take our David Ellis home to get acquainted with his cousins. I've seen Jane (Gary) Miller, '42, on several occasions as she lives in West Chester, Pa., only 20 miles from here. Her twin daughters are adorable. Jane and I enjoy swapping Wesleyan news when we get together. Congratulations on the wonderful series of booklets on Wesleyan which I sincerely appreciate. I have read them over many times and am keeping them to read again."

Nell (Candler) McNeil lives in Middleboro, Massachusetts, where her husband is in business with his father. Their little daughter, Linda, is a year and a half old.

1944

Dorothy Anne (Pim) Roth has two young daughters coming along for Wesleyan, Elizabeth Anne, four years old in June; and Jean Pim, a year old in May.

Stella (Cater) Beatty has a little daughter who was born in Macon on March 18.

"Shug" Whatley writes from Griffin, Ga.: "I'm flattered to be asked to help in the Wesleyan campaign, and hope I can do a good job of it. I haven't accepted any local obligations because my business (a florist's shop here) is so confining it is difficult for me to get out. Wesleyan is really growing, and I'm glad to have a part in its growth, small as my share may be."

1945

Mary Brown (Malone) Rogers has moved back to Albany with her husband after living in Durham, N. C.

Martha Martin is field director for the Bibb County Girl Scouts in Macon. Following her graduation she taught English in the high school of Shellman, her hometown, and spent her summer vaca-

tions at Camp Treasure Island, the Boston Scout camp in New Hampshire, which work led to a year round place in Scouting.

Congratulations to Winifred (Bosch) Titterton on the birth of a son on Good Friday, March 26, who has been named William Bosch. A unique card, charmingly illustrated in the "Gay Nineties" manner, was used to announce his arrival. The Tittertons live at 170-23 84th Drive, Jamaica 3, N. Y.

Sympathy is extended to Dimple Brison whose sixteen-year-old sister, Lillie, perished in the fire which destroyed the Brison home in Lansing, Ill., on the night of February 20. Dimple flew to Chicago at the time to make funeral arrangements for her sister as her father and her 19-year-old sister, Virginia, were both burned badly and had to be hospitalized for some time. The Brisons are gathering furnishings for another home which they hope to have by June or July. Dimple spent a week with them before returning to her work in Atlanta.

1946

Emily Bell made her debut in the 1947 Carnival Court in Mobile, Ala., and now has her own dramatic studio, and is an active member of the Junior League. She played the role of Mrs. Manningham in the play, "Gas Lights," and assisted in directing "My Sister Eileen." The program notes said of her: "A great deal of credit for the rapid growth of the Players must go to Emily. Her tireless energy and deep sincerity have made her one of our best loved members. This combined with fine talent leads us to predict great things for Emily." Emily will play the lead in "Guest in the House," the final play of the season by the little theatre of Mobile.

Jean (Pim) Kinsman's new address is 636 Gillette St. S.E., Atlanta. She is living in the "carriage house apartment."

Susan Lott's article, "Cuban Caravan," appeared in the April issue of The World Outlook. The article, a fascinating account of her experiences last summer when she was a member of a Methodist Youth Caravan to Cuba, is the first piece of writing which Sue ever tried to publish.

When Betty Anne Smith married Lt. (j.g.) Bob Griffin in the Dublin Methodist Church, February 21, four of her classmates were there for the occasion—Ruth (Middlebrooks) Barnwell, Helen (Proctor) Morris, Adelaide Wallace and Sue Lott.

1947

Annette (Emerson) Loyd has a son, John Francis, born February 26.

Frieda (Hayes) Strickland has continued to live in Jesup since her marriage to Mr. A. J. Strickland.

Commencement Program

Friday, May 28—Dinner at Rivoli for Reunion Classes, Officers and Club Presidents

Saturday, May 29—"Alumnae Day"

11:00 A.M. Annual Meeting, Wesleyan Alumnae Association,
Pierce Chapel

Annie (Gantt) Anderson, presiding

Virginia Anderson, secretary

Speaker—Kwe Yuin Kiang, '26

1:15 P.M. Lunch in the Conservatory Dining Room (Reservation necessary)

Sunday, May 30—Baccalaureate Sermon—Mulberry Methodist Church

11:30 A.M. Dr. Pierce Harris, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Atlanta, Georgia.

Monday, May 31—Graduation Exercises, Wesleyan Conservatory Chapel

11:00 A.M. Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, pastor of Christ Church, New York.

RESERVATION FOR COMMENCEMENT, 1948

FRIDAY, MAY 28

On Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock there will be a dinner for officers, presidents of Wesleyan clubs and members of the reunion classes listed below. This will be in the college dining room on the Rivoli campus. There is no charge for this dinner, but *reservation must be made ahead* in order that we may plan accommodations. If you can be with us for the Club President-Class Reunion Dinner, please check the square at the right.

REUNION CLASSES

1898—Fiftieth Anniversary Class

1899, 1900, 1901, 1902

1918, 1919, 1920, 1921

1937, 1938, 1939, 1940

1926—Alumnae Day Speaker's Class

Reserve space for me in the dormitory for Friday night.
(Out-of-town members of reunion classes, national officers and Wesleyan club presidents are invited to be guests of the college overnight.)

SATURDAY, MAY 29

I plan to come for the Alumnae Meeting at 11:00
at the Conservatory Chapel.

Please make reservation for me for the Alumnae Luncheon in the
Conservatory Dining Room, Saturday at 1:30 P.M.

(Please enclose price of ticket—\$1.00. Ticket
will be waiting for you at the door of
the dining room on Alumnae
Day, with your name on it.)

Signed:

Married Name _____

Maiden Name _____ Class _____

Address _____

(Mail to: Mr. Roy Domingos, Wesleyan Conservatory, Macon, Ga.)